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(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
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For: BURIED DIGIT SPACER-  
SEPARATED CAPACITOR ARRAY

Examiner: D. Nhu

**COMMENTS ON EXAMINER'S STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

Applicant has reviewed the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance, mailed on March 25, 2004, and wishes to submit the following remarks. The Statement quotes several limitation from independent claim 58 as the reason for allowance of claims 58-81 and 114. Applicant wishes to note that independent claim 58 recites other limitations which also provide reasons for allowance of claim 58. Also, claims 59-81 and 114, which depend from claim 58, recite additional limitations which in combination with their base claim render the dependent claims allowable.

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Otherwise, Applicant agrees with the Examiner that the prior art fails to teach or suggest the subject matter recited in the allowed claims.

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Respectfully submitted,

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